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JAMES B. JOHNSON, JR., NAMED DEPUTY LIBRARIAN

The South Carolina State Library has announced the appointment of James B. Johnson, Jr., as Deputy Librarian effective November 9, 1979. Mr. Johnson has been a member of the staff since 1972 and Director, Services to the Blind and Physically Handicapped, since 1973. He is a graduate of the University of New Orleans and holds a Master's degree in library science from Louisiana State University. Mr. Johnson succeeds Betty E. Callaham who became State Librarian on July 1.

Mr. Johnson was responsible for organizing and developing the Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped and coordinated services with the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. In conjunction with the Library of Congress, he conducted a vigorous public relations program which has gained national recognition and commendation. He previously served as the State Library's Institutional Library Consultant. Before coming to South Carolina, he was associated with the Louisiana State Library in establishing library service in correctional institutions.

He is a member of state, regional, and national professional organizations and has been active in ALA's Association of State and Cooperative Library Agencies. He currently serves as the chairman of the ASCLA Library Services to the Impaired Elderly Section Planning Committee and is a member of the Standards Review Committee and Annual Meeting Planning Committee. He is vice-chairman of the Southern Conference of Librarians for the Blind and Physically Handicapped and a member of the South Carolina Governor's Committee on the Employment of the Handicapped.

As Deputy Librarian, Mr. Johnson will serve as the assistant administrator of the State Library, will aid in public relations and promotion, and will be the federal program officer for the Library Services and Construction Act in South Carolina.

STATE LIBRARY BUDGET PRESENTED - STATE AID INCREASE REQUESTED

The South Carolina State Library Board of Trustees made its budget presentation for fiscal year 1981 before the South Carolina Budget and Control Board on October 16. Larry Nix, Director of the Greenville County Library, on behalf of public libraries in the state, presented a request for a 50¢ increase in state aid to a level of \$1.00 per capita. The South Carolina State Library Board had included the requested increase in the library's FY 81 budget proposal.

The State Aid increase was one of the recommendations coming out of the South Carolina Governor's Conference on Library and Information Service held in March, 1979. The increase has also received endorsement by the South Carolina Library Association, the SCLA Public Library Section and the Association of Public Library Administrators. To publicize the State Aid drive, the Association of Public Library Administrators has issued a brochure, "The Dollars and Sense of Good Public Library Service," containing supporting information on the requested increase. The pamphlet is being distributed to public libraries across the state.

Presumably in January, 1980, the next focus of the State Aid drive will be the House Ways and Means Committee. Depending upon the outcome of the Budget and Control Board's action, the Committee will be urged to either insert or maintain the increase in the state budget.

STATE AID RESOLUTION

The following resolution endorsing a state aid increase was adopted by the Public Library Section of SCLA at its annual business meeting on October 11, 1979. Copies have been mailed to members of the Budget and Control Board and the vice-chairs of the Ways and Means Committee.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas, The South Carolina State Library Board has included in its budget request for FY 1980/81 an increase in State Aid to Public Libraries to one dollar per capita;

Whereas, The Governor's Conference on Libraries and Information Services held in Columbia on March 15-17, 1979 adopted a resolution that State Aid to Public Libraries should be increased to one dollar per capita immediately showing broad citizen support; and

Whereas, The Public Library Administrators of South Carolina also support this request; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Public Library Section of the South Carolina Library Association supports the budget request of the State Library Board for FY 1980/81 including the increase to one dollar in State Aid to Public Libraries.

STATE LIBRARY BOARD ACTS ON REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS

The South Carolina State Library Board held a called meeting on Tuesday, October 16, in conjunction with the State Library's budget hearing before the Budget and Control Board. The major business was consideration of proposed revisions of State Aid regulations and Salary Standards. Following consultations with public library directors, the State Library staff had drafted proposed regulations designed to broaden the list of approved uses of State Aid and to give library administrators more flexibility in its use. The Board gave unanimous approval to the proposed regulations which must now be submitted to the Legislative Council for editing and to the General Assembly for approval. Implementation will probably not take place before fiscal 1981.

The Standards Committee of the SCLA Public Library Section had proposed revisions in the 1976 Salary Standards. The revisions provide more steps in each classification range, add a third pre-professional category, and clarify minimum position requirements. For the first time, minimum staffing standards are incorporated. The revisions were necessary to enable public libraries to remain competitive with other employers. The Board approved the revised standards for use with the State Aid regulations through 1982. The new standards, which may be put into use immediately, are printed elsewhere in the newsletter.

Upon recommendation of the State Librarian, the library board agreed that all members would join the South Carolina Library Association and the Trustee Section for 1980. Hereafter the State Library will budget funds for membership dues and travel expenses for board members attending the SCLA annual convention.

SOUTH CAROLINA DELEGATION COMPLETES PLANS FOR WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE

South Carolina delegates to the White House Conference on Library and Information Services met on October 19 in Columbia to make final preparations for their attendance at the White House Conference. The delegation is as follows: Official delegates - James L. Braswell, Newberry; Ronald L. Copsey, Greenville; Lynn Hornsby, Rock Hill; Randy M. LaCross, Lamar; Catherine H. Lewis, Conway; Mary McAfee, Columbia; James R. Martin, Union; F. William Summers, Columbia; and Floyd L. Wilcox, Sr., Central; Alternate delegates - Betty E. Callahan, Columbia; Samuel B. Hudson, Georgetown; Mrs. B. E. Nicholson, Edgefield; and Hugh Rogers, Lexington; and Delegate-at-Large - Kathy J. Roe, Columbia.

Evolving from the more than 3,000 resolutions passed in pre-White House Conferences, the Conference will be structured around five user-oriented themes. These include: meeting personal needs, enhancing life-long learning, improving organizations and the professions, effectively governing our society, and increasing international understanding and cooperation. Each South Carolina delegate has been assigned a topic to monitor during the conference. Other issues that are expected to come under discussion are the National Library Act, the National Periodicals Center, and the Small Community Library Services Assistance Act.

On November 5, Governor Riley is expected to issue a proclamation recognizing the White House Conference, urging participation in the "Be With a Book for a Day" campaign on November 15.

STATE LIBRARY BOARD STANDARDS PORTRAIT UNVEILING

The South Carolina State Library Board held a reception on the occasion of the unveiling of a portrait of Estellene P. Walker on October 16 at the State Library. Dr. Carlanna Hendrick, Chairman of the South Carolina State Library Board, presided over the ceremonies during which time Robert E. McNair, former Governor of South Carolina, presented the portrait of Miss Walker. J. Mitchell Reames, Librarian at the Francis Marion College in Florence and Chairman of the group that donated funds for the portrait, delivered a tribute to Miss Walker during the ceremony. The portrait of Miss Walker, who retired as State Librarian on June 30, 1979, was painted by Alicia Rhett, Charleston portrait artist. The portrait now hangs on the first floor of the State Library.

THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE OF THE SCLA PUBLIC LIBRARY SECTION HAS PROPOSED REVISIONS IN ITS CLASSIFICATION RANGE, AND A THIRD PRE-PROFESSIONAL CATEGORY, AND CLARIFY EACH CLASSIFICATION RANGE, AND A THIRD PRE-PROFESSIONAL CATEGORY, AND CLARIFY

FRIEND OF LIBRARY AWARD PRESENTED TO CARLISLE BEAN

The Friend of Libraries award sponsored by the South Carolina Library Association was presented to H. Carlise Bean during the Association's annual convention in October. Mr. Bean, a partner in the law firm of Bean, Hines, Bean, and Colvin, received recognition for his years of service to libraries at both local and state levels. Mr. Bean served on the Spartanburg County Library Board and is currently serving as Vice-President of the Friends of the Spartanburg County Public Library. He served for several years as a member of the South Carolina State Library Board, including a term as chairman.

The Friends of the Richland County Public Library will sponsor their third annual used book sale at a local shopping mall on November 10. Collection boxes for donations were located at all library branches.

NEW SCLA OFFICERS

Officers of the South Carolina Library Association that were elected for 1980 terms during the fifty-third annual convention held in Charleston, October 11-13, 1979 are listed below.

Executive Officers

President: John Landrum, South Carolina State Library
First Vice-President: F. William Summers, University of South Carolina College of Librarianship
Second Vice-President: Penny Albright, Kershaw County Library
Secretary: Jan Buvinger, Charleston County Library
Treasurer: Tom Marcil, University of South Carolina Cooper Library

College and University Section

Chairman: Martha Evatt, Central Wesleyan College Library
Vice-President: Barbara Jenkins, South Carolina State College Library
Secretary: Tom Johnson, South Caroliniana Library, University of South Carolina

Technical Services Section

Chairman: Betty Williams, Lander College Library
Vice-Chairman: Jane Mason, Richland County Public Library
Secretary: Mary L. Smalls, South Carolina State College Library

Public Library Section

Chairman: Carl Stone, Anderson County Library
Vice-Chairman: Carol Duggan, Richland County Public Library
Secretary: George Needham, Charleston County Library
Delegate-at-Large: Joan Sorenson, Greenville County Library
Delegate-at-Large: Bill Cooper, Laurens County Library

School Library Section

Chairman: Drucilla Reeves, Keenan High School, Columbia
Vice-Chairman: Mattie Hemingway, Choppee High School, Georgetown
Secretary to be announced.

Public Services Section

Chairman: Patricia Ridgeway, Winthrop College Library
Vice-Chairman: Lea Walsh, South Carolina State Library
Secretary: Mike Havener, University of South Carolina Cooper Library

On-Line Users Subsection

Chairman: Sarah Clark, Richland County Public Library
Vice-Chairman: Kenneth Murr, Clemson University Library
Secretary: Shannon Clever, University of South Carolina College of
Medicine Library

Bibliographic Instruction Subsection

Chairman: Cerise Oberman-Soroka, College of Charleston Library
Vice-Chairman: Donna Nance, University of South Carolina Cooper Library
Secretary: Nancy Davidson, Winthrop College Library

Trustee Section

Chairman: Mrs. Thelma Clark, Marion County Library
Vice-Chairman: Mrs. Edwina Tripp, Greenville County Library
Secretary: Mrs. William S. Dowis, Jr., Florence County Library

Children and Young People

Chairman: Mary Aiken, Greenville County Library
Vice-Chairman: Saphire Wilson, Garrett High School, Charleston Heights
Secretary: Jo Spivey

Special Library Section

(Elections to be made by mail ballot.)

Library Administration Section

Chairman: Jeffrey Rippel, Greenville County Library

Vice-Chairman: Susan Husman, South Carolina Attorney General Office Library

Secretary: Carl Heffington, Horry County Library

Government Documents Round Table

Chairman: John McCormick, Spartanburg County Library

Vice-Chairman: Susan Derrick, University of South Carolina Cooper Library

Secretary: Myra Armistead, Clemson University Library

Junior Members Round Table

Chairman: Dan Koenig, Piedmont TEC Library

Vice-Chairman: Sheri Green, Columbia College

Secretary: Jennie Redmond, Calhoun County Library

CONTINUING EDUCATION WORKSHOPS OFFERED

The College of Librarianship at the University of South Carolina is sponsoring several one-day continuing education programs during the next few months. "Emerging Roles for Supervisors" will be taught on November 13, 1979. "Getting Ready for AACR II" and "AACR II Rules" will be offered on April 3 and 4, 1980, respectively. "The Disabled Child in the Library" is scheduled for several dates - February 23, March 15, and April 26, 1980. These are \$18 per session; \$21 if CEU credit is desired. Checks payable to the College of Librarianship should be mailed to Workshop, College of Librarianship, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina 29208. For further information call 777-3858, 777-2129, or 777-4110.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES

Anderson County: The library hosted an autograph tea for 60 authors in the Anderson County area. The autograph party was one of the festivities during "We're Proud of Anderson Week".

Cherokee County: The library helped celebrate National Country Music Month in October by sponsoring a free bluegrass concert on October 2.

Florence County: The library has begun a new series of book talks - "Bookbeat." The first program held in October featured Katharine Boling, author of "A Piece of the Fox's Hide." Other South Carolina writers, including William Price Fox and Elizabeth Boatwright Coker, are scheduled as guest speakers for the series. The library, in cooperation with the American Association of University Women, is sponsoring a series for parents entitled "Parentalk: Our Children, Our Future." Program topics have included child advocacy and toy safety.

Greenville County: The library started a "Phone-A-Tale" service in cooperation with Greenville TEC. Fifty-two recorded stories lasting three to four minutes can be heard at all hours of the week. The program is being sponsored by the Friends of the Greenville County Library utilizing the POLLY system at Greenville TEC. POLLY - "Phone Our Listening Library Yourself" is an information center of tape-recorded messages designed to give free information on Greenville TEC and the Greenville community.

Marion County: A reception at the Nichols Branch was held by the library's board of trustees on September 30 to give town residents a chance to view the library's recently expanded quarters.

Oconee County: Dedication ceremonies for the Sarah Mills Norton Library were held on October 21 in Walhalla. The Honorable Butler Derrick, U.S. House of Representatives, was the speaker at the dedication. The \$740,000 building was designed by the architectural firm of Freeman, Wells, and Major and constructed by the Able Construction Company.

Richland County: The library recently prepared and distributed two brochures - a parent's booklist on deaf and hearing - impaired children and a booklist "The Changing Family" listing books on divorce, child custody, single parenting, and step-parenting. The brochure on the changing family was distributed to various family service and counseling centers, singles organizations, and Parents Without Partners. The Children's Services Division sponsored a program on snakes that attracted over 300 adults and children. The audience watched a slide show and saw live snakes brought by Tom Mancke with the South Carolina Museum Commission.

York County: The library has produced a flyer on childcare materials available from the library. The flyer will be distributed to new parents.

SMALL LIBRARIES PUBLICATIONS

The first four of the new Small Libraries Publications are now available from ALA. The series is directed primarily at librarians serving communities of 10,000-15,000 people, usually as administrators of independent libraries, although it is hoped that branch librarians and librarians serving larger communities may also find the pamphlets useful. Available titles with authors and ISBN numbers are: (1) The Trustee of a Small Public Library, Virginia G. Young. 0-8389-5514-2. (2) The Librarian as Administrator of the Small Public Library, Kathleen Mehaffey. 0-8389-5545-2. (3) Fiscal Responsibility and the Small Public Library, Andrew Geddes. 0-8389-5546-0. (4) Public Relations for the Smaller Library, James C. Dance. 0-8389-5547-9. The pamphlets, twelve pages each, are \$1.00 each and should be ordered by title and ISBN number from the Order Department, ALA, 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611. The State Library is distributing to public libraries via the Field Staff one copy of each of the publications as they come out.

LIBRARY PUBLICATIONS

The A-V connection: The guide to federal funds for audio-visual programs.

Fairfax, Virginia: National Audio-Visual Association, 1979. 225 p. \$20.00.

American library directory 1979 edited by Jacques Cattell Press. 32d edition.

Bowker, 1979. \$49.95.

Reference books for small and medium-size libraries. Edited by Larry Earl Bone. Third edition. American Library Association, 1979. \$9.00. Checks payable to ALA should be mailed to the Order Department, ALA, 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

NEWS OF S.C. LIBRARIANS

...CAROL DUGGAN, Adult Services Librarian, Richland County Public Library, has been appointed South Carolina state membership chairman of the ALA Membership Task Force...MARY WHITE has joined the staff of the Marion County Library as part-time Children's Librarian. Mrs. White has a BA degree in library science from Columbia College...

NEWS OF TRUSTEES AND FRIENDS GROUPS

The Friends of the Hilton Head Island Branch of the Beaufort County Library held the first in its series of free concerts on October 7. The concert featured James Ambrose, pianist. During September, the Friends group held a reception honoring thirty resident authors of the Island. Charlie Doughtie, author of children's books, spoke at the meeting.

The first organizational meetings of the Friends of the Horry County Library will be held throughout November at the main library and its branches.

Dr. James T. Otten is a new member to the Union Carnegie Library Board.

CALENDAR

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| November 4, 1979 | Marlboro County Library dedication. Bennettsville. 3:30 p.m. Speaker: Estellene P. Walker, former State Librarian. |
| November 9, 1979 | Legal reference workshop. Florence Area Reference Resource Center. Workshop Leaders: Mary Toll and Anne Middleton, S. C. State Library. Florence County Library. 10 a.m. Contact: Robert S. Satterwhite, Florence County Library |
| November 12-18, 1979 | Children's Book Week. Contact: Children's Book Council, 67 Irving Place, New York, New York 10003. |
| November 13, 1979 | Workshop on "Emerging Rules for Supervisors." USC College of Librarianship. For information, call 777-3858. |
| November 15-19, 1979 | White House Conference on Library and Information Services. Washington, D. C., Washington Hilton Hotel. |
| November 16, 1979 | Tutorial on AACR II for non-cataloging librarians. Southeastern Library Association. College and University Section. Charlotte, North Carolina. Contact: Dr. Ralph E. Russell, Georgia State University, 100 Decatur Street SE, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 (404-658-2172) |

November 28, 1979

Meeting. Standards Committee, Public Library
Section, SCLA. South Carolina State Library.
10:30 a.m. Contact: Catherine Lewis, Horry
County Library.

December 4, 1979

Meeting. LSCA (Library Services and Construction
Act) State Advisory Council. South Carolina
State Library Divison for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped, Cayce. 2 p.m.

December 8, 1979

Executive Board Meeting. South Carolina Library
Association. Richland County Public Library.
10:30 a.m. Contact: Martin Pautz, Greenville
TEC.

January 14, 1980

Meeting. South Carolina State Library Board
of Trustees. South Carolina State Library.

January 20-25, 1980

American Library Association midwinter meeting.
Chicago.

January 30-February 1, 1980

Special Library Association winter meeting.
San Antonio, Texas.

Converse College alumnae are conducting a fund-raising drive to raise \$225,000 for renovation of the Gwathney Library at Converse. The Romill Foundation has offered a challenge grant to match funds raised by the alumnae.

The Florence Area Reference Resource Council met at the Marlboro County Library on September 28. Representatives from Pee Dee area libraries heard Louise Heriot of the Clemson Extension Service discuss publications and informational services available from Clemson and county offices. Lea Walsh, Interlibrary Loan Librarian, South Carolina State Library, reviewed the State Library's interlibrary loan procedures.

The College of Librarianship, University of South Carolina, held a colloquium on "Career Development/Staff Development: Two Sides of a Coin" on October 24. Peggy O'Donnell, Project Director with the American Library Association, was the program speaker.

The Winthrop College Archives, Dacus Library, has produced a slide/tape presentation on the collections contained in the Archives. The presentation is available free of charge to interested organizations. Representatives of the Winthrop Archives are available to answer questions if requested. For information, contact Winthrop Archives, Dacus Library, Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C. 29733 (803-323-2131). The Archives has acquired the records of the South Carolina International Women's Year Committee and its delegation. The Archives has published an inventory describing the records of the Conference.

CAROLINIANA

Calhoun, John C. The papers of John C. Calhoun. Edited by Dr. Clyde N. Wilson. Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 1979. 618 p. \$27.50.

Drucker, Lesley M. and Anthony, Ronald W. The Spiers landing site: archeological investigations in Berkeley County, South Carolina. 167 p. \$10.00. Orders to: Carolina Archeological Services, 3932 Hickory Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29205 (803-787-4169)

The guide to the manuscript and all history collections in the Winthrop College Archives and Special Collections. Archives and Special Collections Department, Dacus Library, Winthrop College, Rock Hill, South Carolina, 1977. 40 p. \$2.00.

Journals of the House of Representatives 1785-1786. Edited by Lark Emerson Adams. Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 1979. 710 p. \$27.50.

South Carolina Historical Society. South Carolina Historical Society Manuscript guide. Spartanburg: Reprint Company, 1979. 154 p. Available from the Reprint Company, Box 5401, Spartanburg, South Carolina 29204. Subscribers to the South Carolina Historical Magazine will receive a free copy of this guide.

Stribling, Bruce Hodgson. Striblings of Walnut Hill and related families. 186 p. \$25 + 95¢ shipping. Orders to: B. H. Stribling, 101 Folger Street, Clemson, South Carolina 29631.

Winthrop College archives and special collections: a manual of policies and procedures. Archives and Special Collections Department. Dacus Library, Winthrop College, 1978. 119 p. \$5.00.

Winthrop College archives and special collections: a guide to the records relating to Winthrop College. Archives and Special Collections Department, Dacus Library, Winthrop College, 1979. 55 p. \$2.00.

Winthrop College archives and special collections: an inventory to the records of the York County Multiethnic Heritage Project. Archives and Special Collections Department, Dacus Library, Winthrop College. 15 p. free.

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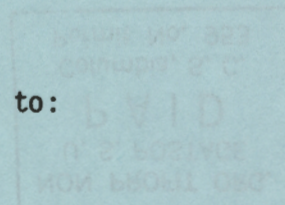
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